Statement

Expenditure incurred on Payment of Compensation and other measures taken for rehabilitation of families of 1984 riot victims.

	Total Expenditure
Death compensation in 2327 cases @ Rs. 3.50 lakhs	Rs. 72,69,27,764/-
Compensation for injury in 2603 cases	Rs. 54,62,000/-
Compensation for damages residential properties in 4076 cases.	Rs. 5,83,68,000/-
Compensation for uninsured commercial premises/industrial properties and machineries in 3415 cases	Rs. 4,77,42,561/-
Marriage assistance for daughters (199 cases) and widows (14 cases) of the deceased	(Rs. 20,60,000/-
2200 Municipal Corporation of Delhi slum flats, 58 kiosks/shops and 760 house sites were allotted to the families.	—
Monthly pension @ Rs. 1000/- has been granted to 191 old aged persons and widows affected by 1984 riots. Presently 159 persons are getting this pension.	—
684 widows and wards were provided employment.	—

Deletion of the word "Sindh" from the National Anthem

239. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken a decision to delete the word "Sindh" from the National Anthem "Jana Gana Mana";

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether Government are aware that this will hurt the sentiments of Sindhis who are part and parcel of India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIK RAO GAVIT): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.